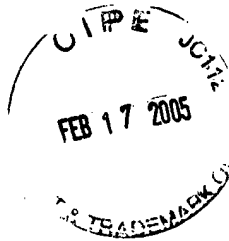


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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE AFTER FINAL REJECTION**

Dear Sir:

Further to the outstanding Final Office Action dated October 19, 2004 (Part of Paper No./Mail Date 05242001) for the above-identified patent application, the time for responding having been extended one month from January 19, 2005, up to and including February 21, 2005 (February 19 being a Saturday), Applicants present the following Amendment and Response.

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 6 of this paper.

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